

# BARRE DAILY TIMES

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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

**3,400**

copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.


The beginning of the summer season is here; the various concerns about town begin today their Saturday half-holiday schedule.

The person who sold adulterated maple sugar to a Barre market this spring has not yet raised his head to be known. But the market-men have been put on their guard.

The Hardwick Gazette figures that Hardwick's grand list has increased fifty per cent during the past ten days! Spunky Hardwick!

## VERMONT'S POPULATION.

An increase in the population of Vermont is a delicate matter to fasten down with certainty, yet the director of the census says there are now within the boundaries of the state 349,231 persons. The number is scarcely enough for a good-sized municipality, to be sure, but it represents a growth. If the estimate is correct, or anywhere near correct, there has been an increase of 5,160 in the past five years. On the same rate of increase the population will be nearly 355,000 when the actual taking of the census is made in 1910, practically the same as the gain from 1890 to 1900. For two decades prior to 1890 the population was at a complete standstill. And today there are only 35,000 more people than there were fifty years ago. Meanwhile the population of other states and territories in the country has been going forward with great strides. It is a mortifying admission for Vermonters to have to make, that in this respect they are away behind their sister states. The reasons for it have been recounted time and again, with the sort of expression that showed there was resignation to the inevitable, that Vermont was in a rut, the sides of which were too high to surmount. But that tone is being discarded with the new spirit that seems to be taking a hold on the state. For decades previous to 1890 there was little attraction to keep native-born Vermonters in the state and there was less inducement for immigration from other states, while the tide of foreign immigration never used to turn to the little Green Mountain State but scattered itself over the more inviting fields in the neighborhood of the large cities and in the great West. Now, however, new industries and revisited old ones are attracting outsiders more and more, and at the same time there is growing in the minds of present residents the belief that there is opportunity right here in Vermont. The granite, marble and slate industries, for instance, took on new activity little more than a decade ago, to which activity is attributed very largely the increase in population in the ten years from 1890 to 1900. Since the latter date there has been as steady a growth in the industries, and the industries are spreading out, so that The Times feels certain that the census decade which is now half gone will see a greater gain in population than the estimate just made by the census department promises. To be sure, there will need to be a considerable increase to balance the loss in the small towns, some of which are sinking into a position that is insignificant with their former size and importance. But the industrial centers will be good for the deficiency.

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## EAST BARRE.

Henry Paton, Sr., left for Boston last night. He goes to meet a cousin from the old country.

Rev. A. H. Abernethy will preach in the Congregational church tomorrow morning and evening. The morning service will be held at 10:30 a. m. instead of 11 a. m., as usual. There is some talk of trying to engage his services as pastor. It is hoped a large congregation will greet him.

Mrs. Olive Bixby who has been visiting this past week at the home of her parents, returned to Randolph today. The immediate friends and relatives of W. C. Nye gave him a surprise last night by celebrating his 67th birthday. An enjoyable evening was spent there and many good wishes were expressed for Mr. Nye.

There will be a dance Tuesday evening. An orchestra from Barre will be in attendance. All are cordially invited.

## A SONG.

There's a swate little gyurl in this city,  
 Whose fortune is all in her face;  
 Sure I never have seen such a pretty colleen,

An' I don't think there's one in th' place!  
 She has no grand clothes to adorn her—  
 No satins an' laces an' furs,  
 But she hasn't no nade of fine feathers indade.

To set off that fair face of hers!  
 CHORUS.  
 Bridget! The talk o' the town!  
 Bridget! With tresses o' brown—  
 A chin wid a dimple that drives the lads simple,  
 An' eyes of a hivenly blue.

Quaney—but not very tall—  
 High as me heart is, that's all!  
 Arrah, Bridget, ye midget, I'm all of a fidget  
 To furnish a flat for you!

CHORUS.  
 She's not very long in this country.  
 Be th' same token, nayther am I!  
 An' feet that have throd on the blissed Ould Sod

Can thread on me heart till I die!  
 For there's no hearts as thine as the Irish—

There's no lives as tender an' sthrong;  
 An' when Irish folks wed, it's th' truth that is said,  
 There's none that stays faithful so long!

CHORUS.  
 Bridget! Thin say ye'll be mine!  
 Bridget! Jist give me a sign  
 To show me ye're carin' for what I'm declarin',  
 An' swearin' ye're sharin' it too!

There's but one answer to this;  
 Look up, an' give me a kiss—  
 Arrah, Bridget, ye midget, the man is an idjit  
 That wouldn't be daft fr' you!

—Cleveland Leader.

## CHURCH AND CLERGY.

The American Bible society last year sent forth nearly 2,000,000 Scriptures.

The Rev. George Whitefield Mead of the First Presbyterian church of Newport, R. I., has declined the call received from the Gunton temple of Washington.

In several denominations the employment of deaconesses is increasing. These women have a special training and work chiefly among the poor as a sort of parish visitors.

The Coptic church of Egypt is said to be rapidly dying out. It is an ancient Christian church, and its members are being lost to the Protestant mission, to the Roman Catholic church and to Mohammedanism.

**Scrambled Eggs With Parsley.**  
 Beat eight eggs until quite light. Add one-half cupful of rich cream, salt and pepper. Melt a good sized lump of butter in a frying pan, and just as it begins to foam pour in the eggs. When they begin to form add four table-spoonfuls of minced parsley. When done heap in a mound on a round dish and arrange French fried potatoes all around the edge of the dish.

**Italy's Coal Imports.**  
 Italy imports every year nearly 5,000,000 tons of coal, almost exclusively from the United Kingdom.

**The Puffer Fish.**  
 The puffer fish gets its name from a habit of puffing itself out when taken from the water. In his natural state he is about six to seven inches long and but two inches thick. When fully blown out he is almost circular and measures nearly a foot in diameter. It is said that his exhalation of air assists his breathing.

## NORTHFIELD.

John Ordway and Miss Harriet Howe, both of Roxbury, were married at the Methodist parsonage on Thursday, the Rev. E. W. Sharpe performing the ceremony. The couple left for St. Albans for a short wedding trip, returning to Roxbury to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Clark entertained the Fortnightly club on Thursday night. A very nice programme of readings and songs from members of the club were enjoyed. The last part of the evening was given up to playing whist.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Booth have gone to West Hill for the summer. They will board with W. E. Densmore.

The third game of ball played by the Northfield League took place Thursday afternoon on the Norwich parade ground, between Main and Central streets, the latter winning by the score of 6 to 4. There will be a game between Union street and Vine this afternoon at four o'clock.

The free rural delivery routes went into effect June 1. William Boynton was appointed for route No. 1, which takes in the Bull Run, Little Northfield and West Hill districts. Alexander England was appointed for route No. 2, which covers Cox brook and part of the West Hill.

## WILLIAMSTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holden drove to Bethel today to visit a sister of Mr. Holden living there.

Rev. A. M. Smith will preach at the Universalist church tomorrow morning.

Mr. Sawyer, inspector of mail routes, is here looking over the route through the gulf to Brookfield for the free delivery of mail, also other routes which may be started soon.

There will be a meeting of the New England Order of Protection Monday evening. There is business of importance and all members are earnestly requested to be present. Deputy W. H. Norris of Summit Lodge will be present with other visitors and a social time and entertainment after the meeting. Remember, Monday evening.

A yellow and white dog followed H. S. Drury home Thursday night, and seems inclined to stay. The owner can have him by calling at Mr. Drury's.

## W. C. T. U.

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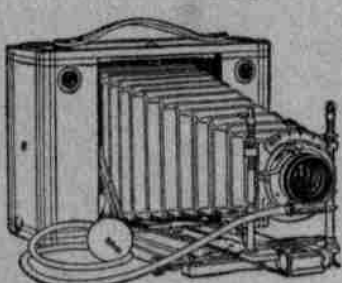
## A Rival to the Canteen.

Mr. Wm. E. Curtis, well known correspondent to the Chicago Record-Herald, recently gave an account of a successful rival to the canteen in the British army of India. The army institute as the canteen is called by the British, compelled temperance men to associate with drinking men, to take their recreation and rest in clubs where liquor is sold, has induced the military authorities in India to assign quarters and provide other practical aid to the Royal Army Temperance Association. This organization has a branch at every British barracks in India where a room is set apart for total abstainers with a library, newspapers, magazines, all forms of amusements. There is a large organization sustained by military officers, the civil governors, clergy and other persons who feel interested in the welfare of the soldiers. Mr. Curtis adds, it is the universal testimony that the temperance association has not only promoted sobriety in the ranks, but has been effective in securing employment for discharged soldiers. All soldiers wishing to join the association are required to take the following pledge, "I promise with God's help, to abstain from all intoxicating liquors, except when administered medically, or in a religious ordinance, so long as I retain this pledge." If it is possible to gain so favorable results under conditions so trying, what may not be done for our own soldiers, living under far more salutary circumstances.

## To Burns Club.

The annual picnic will be held on Saturday at Caledonia Park. A special train will leave the M. & W. station at 1:30 p. m., sharp, stopping at Blackwell street only. Returning the special will leave at 7 o'clock.

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## Sweeping Shirt Sale at 29c

Large lot that were formerly 50c, 75c and \$1.00 Shirts to close Friday and Saturday at the ridiculously low price of 29c. This will be known as lot No. 1.

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